

DECLARATION (Includes Reference to PCT International Applications)	Attorney Docket No.: <u>55600-8013.US02</u>			
<p>As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:</p> <p>My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,</p> <p>I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">METHOD OF TREATMENT USING INTERFERON-TAU</p> <p>the specification of which (check only one item below):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> was filed as PCT International Application No. PCT/US04/35804 on 27 October 2004. </p> <p>I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.</p> <p>I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(a).</p> <p>I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) which designated at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application(s) having a filing date before that of the application(s) on which priority is claimed</p>				
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Sir:

I, the undersigned, acting on behalf of the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified patent application, by virtue of an Assignment filed concurrently herewith with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, appoint the attorneys and agents associated with the Customer No. 22918, Perkins Coie LLP to prosecute and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith. All prior powers of attorney for this application are hereby revoked.

This appointment is to the exclusion of the inventor(s) and their attorney(s) and agent(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 3.71.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), I hereby certify that I am empowered to act on behalf of the Assignee. To the best of my knowledge and belief, title is in the Assignee, as evidenced by the Assignment noted above.

I further declare that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Title 18, USC § 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent resulting therefrom.

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